

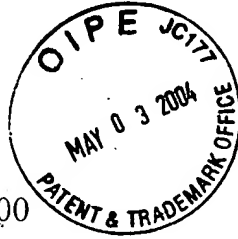
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-captioned application on December 1, 2004, in which the three month shortened statutory period for responding is extended from March 1, 2004 to May 3, 2004 (May 1, 2004 being a Saturday) by a simultaneously filed request for a two month extension of time and the payment of the appropriate extension of time fee, reconsideration and allowance of the present application is respectfully requested in view of the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.